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 Began Service: December 11, 1995  
 Term Expires: December 11, 2011  
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**Government:** Volunteer, AmeriCorps, Corporation for National and Community Service (1969-1970); Assistant U.S. Attorney, New York - Northern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1979-1995)

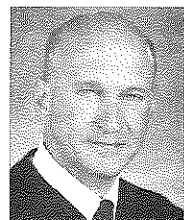
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**David E. Peebles**  
 Magistrate Judge

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 Education: Georgia Tech 1972 BA;  
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 Began Service: May 22, 2000  
 Term Expires: May 22, 2016

**Clerkships:** Confidential Law Clerk The Honorable Howard G. Munson, United States District Court for the Northern District of New York (1976-1978)

**Government:** Assistant District Attorney, County of Onondaga, New York (1974-1976)

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 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1948  
 Education: Albany Law 1976 JD  
 Began Service: September 25, 2001  
 Term Expires: September 25, 2017

**Academic:** Adjunct Faculty, Albany Law School

**Government:** Assistant Public Defender, Office of the District Attorney, County of Rensselaer, New York; Assistant Attorney General, Department of Law, State of New York; General Counsel, Office of the State Comptroller, State of New York; First Deputy, Capital Defender's Office, State of New York

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Fritts, Whiting & Treece

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**George H. Lowe**  
 Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: April 1, 1939  
 Education: Williams 1961 BA; Columbia 1964 LLB  
 Began Service: February 2004  
 Term Expires: February 2012

**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, New York - Northern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1971-1976); U.S. Attorney, New York - Northern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1978-1982)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Thatcher, Proffitt & Wood (1965-1968); Associate/Partner, Abberly, Kooiman, Morcellino & Clay (1968-1971); Partner, O'Hara, O'Hara and Vans (1976-1978); Partner, Bond, Schoeneck & King (1983-2004)

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**Larry A. Kudrle**  
 Magistrate Judge (Part-Time)

Date of Birth: 1948  
 Education: Arizona 1981 JD  
 Began Service: January 24, 2002  
 Term Expires: May 24, 2013

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**Robert E. Littlefield, Jr.**  
 Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
 Education: Denver 1973 BA; Albany Law 1976 JD  
 Began Service: 2009

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**Margaret Cangilos-Ruiz**  
 Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Cornell 1974 AB; Albany Law 1979 JD  
 Began Service: February 2007  
 Term Expires: February 2021

**Staff**

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**Diane Davis**  
 Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Albany Law 1991 JD  
 Began Service: March 6, 2009  
 Term Expires: March 6, 2023

**Academic:** Assistant Director of Career Planning, Albany Law School

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Chambers of Magistrate Judge Ralph W. Smith, Jr., United States District Court for the Northern District of New York

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